

<b>Quality Criteria</b>
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**E. Animals - Habitat/Management**

RESOURCE CONCERN	DEFINITION	QUALITY CRITERIA	ASSESSMENT TOOL
<b>1. Animal Habitat/Management</b>			
<b>a. Domestic</b>	The food, water, shelter, space, and sanitation provided to animals is inadequate for optimum health and production.	Domestic animals are provided adequate shelter; cover; sufficient quantity and quality of water to meet daily needs; and quantity and quality of food is adequate to meet their nutritional requirements	National Range and Pasture Handbook; Pasture Management Jobsheet; KY Graze; Visual observation
<b>b. Wildlife</b>	Wildlife habitat does not consist of suitable food, cover/shelter, water and space	The composite Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Index is 0.75 or greater, where the wildlife land is the primary land use; 0.3 or greater, where wildlife land is not the primary land use.	Wildlife Habitat Evaluation Index Observation
<b>c. Threatened and Endangered Species</b>	Population numbers are reaching critical levels for continuation of identified species.	Activities are planned to avoid actions that would reduce their current population numbers, health, or habitat quality.	FOTG T&E Impact Matrix